



## 2013 Washington State Enhanced State Hazard Mitigation Plan

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## I. Documentation of the Adoption Process

**Requirement 44 CFR §201.4(c)(6):** *Adoption.* The Plan must be formally adopted by the State prior to submittal to FEMA Region X for final review and approval.

### Adoption of the State Hazard Mitigation Plan

The 2013 SHMP, standard plan, as defined in 44 CFR 201.4 will be adopted by a promulgated memorandum to agencies of state government by the State Military Department, Emergency Management Division Director. This will be done following receipt from FEMA Region X of a notice of “pre-adoption” approval of the plan. FEMA will receive a copy of the adoption / promulgation memorandum immediately upon its issuance. Copies of documentation showing FEMA Region X’s formal approval of the plan and state adoption of the plan will become part of this plan upon their issuance.



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### **I. Documentation of Assurances**

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**Requirement 44 CFR §201.4(c)(7): Assurances.** The Plan must include assurances that the State will comply with all applicable Federal statutes and regulations in effect with respect to the periods for which it receives grant funding, in compliance with 44 CFR 13.11(c) of this chapter. The State will amend its plan whenever necessary to reflect changes in State or Federal statutes and regulations as required in 44 CFR 13.11(d) of this chapter.

#### **Assurances**

The State of Washington will comply with all applicable Federal statutes and regulations in effect with respect to the periods which it receives grant funding, in compliance with 44 CFR 13.11.c. The Washington SHMP will be amended according to the process described in Plan Maintenance section whenever necessary to reflect changes in State or Federal statutes as required in 44 CFR 13.11.d.



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